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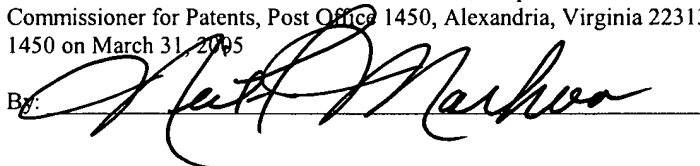
Docket No. 440-001

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Scott Wilkings et al. )  
Serial No.: 10/670,404 ) Art Unit: 1725  
Filing Date: September 25, 2003 ) Examiner:  
For: MONO-BLOC BRAKE CALIPER AND ) Len Tran  
EVAPORABLE PATTERN FOR CASTING SAME )

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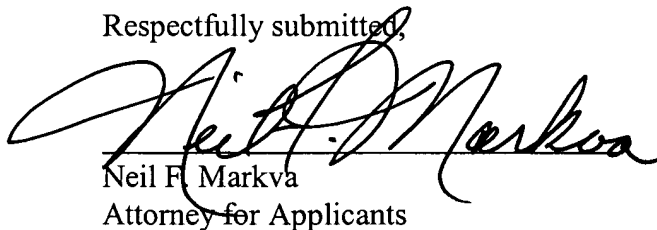
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**RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR  
RESTRICTION OF INVENTION**

This is in response to the office action dated March 4, 2005 in which the examiner required restriction between Claims 1-21 of Group I directed to a foam pattern, and Claims 22-49 of Group II directed to a disc brake caliper casting. Applicants hereby provisionally elect without traverse Claims 22-49 of Group II to be examined on their merits.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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